

# Billmate Billing Electronic Data Interchange

## Track your telecommunications costs and streamline your payments

### Benefits

- Eliminates the need for unwieldy paper bills, file your paper bill away for future reference\*
- Increases speed of data delivery
- Saves time and money by eliminating hours of data entry
- Combines data from numerous bills into concise communications management reports
- Reconcile bills accurately and easily, providing for timely billback of communications charges
- Choose to pay your bill electronically or by check

### Electronic Data Interchange

Billmate Billing Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) is a quick, accurate and efficient way to find the real meaning behind the billing data in your CenturyLink™ bill. With Billmate, you can better track your telecommunications costs and use. You can also streamline your payments and find out where your resources can be better used.

Billmate transmits your monthly billing data in a standard electronic format. You retrieve the data, download it to your system and import it to your spreadsheet or database.\*\*

### Applications

Review billing for unusual activity patterns:

- Track communications use, such as 800 service, calling cards, cellular calls and international calls
- Forecast communications use and budget more accurately for future needs
- Use your own formatting parameters to transform raw billing data into customized reports
- Enhanced management and control of telecommunications resources

\*The paper bill still remains your official bill of record.

\*\*Billmate employs the standards X12 transaction set established by the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) Accredited Standards Committee (ASC). Billing data is formatted and delivered using the 811 transaction set. Electronic payments may be remitted using the 820 transaction set.

Contact your CenturyLink Representative today!

